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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Aldo T. Iacono

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Art Unit: 1617

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Examiner: Travers, R.

For : USE OF AEROSOLIZED CYCLOSPORINE FOR PREVENTION  
AND TREATMENT OF PULMONARY DISEASE

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In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed October 22, 2002, please consider the following remarks. Applicant submits herewith a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time up to and including April 22, 2003 accompanied by the required fee.

REMARKS

Claims 19-48 are pending in this application. The pending claims are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103. For reasons set forth below, Applicants request that the rejections be withdrawn and the pending claims allowed to issue.